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RARE COLLECTION OF GODS, Etc.,
— from the little known Schouten Islands, Pacific. —

Ancient Batak (Sumatra) illustrated Manuscript in Magic and Medicine.

Eskimo Kayak with Fishing Spears, Etc.

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CONDITIONS OF SALE AS USUAL. A Copy is exhibited in Sale Room at time of Sale.

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LOT

1 Old wax of Napoleon, in frame and 2 old silhouettes on wax

2 Old Sheffield and cut-glass biscuit box

3 Ditto bowl, inset with old coins

4 Ditto mustard pot and pair of salts

5 Ditto upright mustard, finely chased and pierced

6 Three old English watches

7 Chinese green jade bangle

8 Ditto jade and jewelled ormolu buckle

9 Pair of old glass decanters, ditto mug with handle, ditto bottle and stopper and old glass rum stirrer

10 Pair of finely decorated glass vases, from the Earl of March's collection, and green glass tray

11 Six old silvery toys

12 Tortoiseshell étui and Capo de Monti box

13 Old oval silver box with watch in lid and marcasite border

14 Pair of Georgian salt-cellars, on 3 feet

15 Chinese jade carving on wood stand

16 Carved rock crystal vase on silver enamelled stand

17 Curious old Bishop's sealing ring

18 Old carved wood snuff-box, 1792 and wood pin-cushion in shape of shoe

19 Fine old Pinchbeck snake buckle, turquoise eyes

20 Small repoussé silver frame with wax of Hercules, silver pencil, 3 coloured leads and pack of old playing cards

21 Tortoiseshell and silver pique box, mother-o'-pearl and Pinchbeck desk seal, mother-o'-pearl and silver fruit knife and old key with silver handle

22 Old Battersea étui and fittings

23 Two old sporting prints by ALKEN and 2 old tinsel pictures in frames

24 *Seventeenth Century watch, in rectangular silver frame, pierced with arabesque foliage, by Johann Siegmund Schlöer Regent*

25 A 24-inch Sheffield tray with pierced border

26 Old steel helmet

27 Paste ornament, letter-case, chocolate-box, 3 fans, metal watch and sundries

28 Fifty tinted views of Crimean War and 24 Swiss views

29 Old copper warming-pan

30 Two silver embossed dessert spoons in case

31 Collection of old lace bobbins in frame

32 Pair of brass candlesticks and mortar

33 Pair of officer's bullion epaulettes in case, 17th Lancers

34 Silver war medal for siege of Ghuznee, 1839

35 Four old coach panels with arms

36 Ten-air musical box
37 Illuminated Grant of Arms, framed
38 Old helmet, 5th Dragoon Guards, flag and box of sundries

Chinese and Japanese Curios.

39 Very fine specimen antique brass Chinese incense burner
40 Pair of brass Chinese vases
41 Brass bowl on blackwood stand
42 Pair of china jars with blackwood stands
43 Bronze bowl on blackwood stand
44 Pair of antique bronze vases
45 Suit of antique Japanese armour in case
46 Old carved oak chest
47 Iron treasure chest
48 Large mantel mirror in ornamental gilt frame
49 Old cloisonné bowl
50 Finely carved cashmere bracket
51 Old brown glaze toby jug
51a Three lots of Chinese embroideries
52 Eight pairs of Chinese embroideries
53 Chinese lady's jacket
54 Japanese priest garment
55 Six bamboo carvings
56 Six Chinese snuff bottles
57 Two bronze charcoal braziers
58 Carved wood animals on bridge
59 Ditto
60 Ditto
61 Carved ivory figure
62 Ditto
63 Ditto
64 Ditto
65 Ditto

66 Carved ivory figure
67 Carved ivory ball—Japanese zodiak
68 Ditto
69 Carved ivory ball—Dragon
70 Carved ivory tusk—Elephants on bridge
71 Three carved ivories—Tower of Elephants
72 Carved walrus tusk on stand
73 Carved ivory shrine
74 Ditto
75 Six carved ivory netsukes
76 Six carved wood netsukes
77 Two carved walrus tusks on stand
78 Ditto
79 Three carved ivories
80 Ditto
81 Six tsubas
82 Ditto
83 Ditto
84 Ditto
85 Ditto
86 Ditto
87 Twelve fuchikashira
88 Six ivory netsukes
89 Twelve carved stags' horn umbrella handles
90 Thirty-six bronze paper knives
91 Two carved wood figures
92 Ditto
93 Ditto
94 Ditto
95 Ditto
96 Two carved shrines

97 Four deer-bone landscapes on drift wood

98 Ditto

99 Three carved wood masks

100 Two ditto animals

101 Six ditto—The Three Wise Monkeys

102 Ditto

Native and other Curios.

102a *Fine old Eskimo kayak, with paddle, 3 fishing spears, walrus hide line, etc.*

102b *Fine Burmese wooden carving—Two figures wrestling, carved out of one solid piece of wood*

103 Fine Uganda drum

104 Masai hide shield and 2 fine spears No spears here

105 Executioner's knife (Madagascar)

106 Four Kaffir chiefs' wands

107 Very fine miramba (musical instrument)

108 Crocodile hide shield and 2 daggers in ditto sheaths

109 Two fine Baggara (Soudan) spears

110 Fine ditto coat of mail

111 Ditto

Curios from Pacific Islands.

112 Strings of shell currency (Polynesia)

113 Two wood spears and carved canoe (Caroline Islands)

114 Two bows and 6 fine barbed arrows (Solomon Islands)

115 Four shark's teeth weapons (Kingsmile Islands)

116 Two fine paddle clubs (Solomon Islands)

117 *Very rare carved wooden club (Figi)*

118 Mangaian adze holder

119 Nine very fine Polynesian spears

120 Twenty rare ditto

Curios from New Guinea.

121 Three carved and decorated wooden dancing shields
122 Ditto
123 Ditto
124 Ditto
125 Seven small ditto
126 Two drums
127 Two carved bark belts
128 Curious dancing mask 51299
129 Two ditto 51297-8
130 Ditto
131 Ditto
132 Four smaller ditto
133 Adze with very fine blade
134 Two smaller ditto
135 Four carved wooden swords

Curios from Congo and West Africa.

136 Large carved ivory fetish
137 Two ditto
138 One ditto
139 Ditto (head) and a carved hair-pin
140 Two ditto pins
141 Large ditto
142 Two carved ivory whistles
143 Two ditto fetishes
144 Three ditto
145 Two small wooden ditto and bone hair-pin
146 *Very fine elephant tusk war horn of unusual size*
147 Two carved wooden stools
148 Six ditto cups
149 Females grass body belt, curious form

150 Two necklets with charms and 2 earrings
151 Large bundle of barbed fishing harpoons
152 Three very rare double-headed spears
153 Two spears used as currency
154 Ditto
155 Ditto, (1 copper and 1 iron)
156 Four fine spears
157 Five ditto
158 Two axes with fine wrought-iron heads
159 Ditto
160 Two small powder boxes, bead necklet and 6 armlets
167 Rare pigmy bow and quiver of arrows
168 Four bark boxes, decorated
169 Two cane shields
170 One ditto with rare iron boss
171 Bow and 25 very fine barbed arrows
172 Ditto
173 Ditto
174 Ditto
175 Five curious knives
176 Ditto
177 Rare knife in elephant hide sheath and another
178 Four currency knives
179 Two very fine execution knives
180 *Rare carved wooden drum with curious female appendages* (*Nigeria*)
181 Carved ivory war horn (Nigeria)
182 Very fine pipe, decorated beads (Cameroons)
183 Rare hide shields with bosses (Cameroons)
184 Carved and coloured wooden Fetish group (Nigeria)
185 Ditto
186 Curious wooden head-dress (Cameroons)
187 Ditto war horn (Cameroons)

188 Two pottery water bottles (Cameroons)

189 Carved wooden stool (Ashantee)

190 *Very large war drum with carved base (Cameroons)*

190a Valuable and interesting collection of ivory bangles, all different, obtained during many years in the Congo by Belgian officials, unique

Curios from China, Tibet and India.

191 Three very old Tibet temple hangings

192 *Cup made from scull of deceased llama with bronze cover and stand, embossed with deities and inlaid turquoises, etc., used in temple ceremonies*

193 Ditto

194 *Very rare gilt Tibet idol—Demon seated on horse, decorated with strings of metal beads, with skeleton at base*

195 Fine large brass prayer wheel, 13 inches

196 Two smaller ditto

197 One ditto, rare shape

198 Gilt bronze charton

199 Drum and copper charm box with painting

200 Two hanging temple incense burners set with turquoises

201 Two ditto, plain

202 Incense burner, casket shape

203 Two ditto

204 *Very fine incense burner on stand, embossed with Deities, etc., surmounted on top with kylin*

205 Fine Chinese bow and 6 arrows

206 Two Chinese charm coin swords

207 Carved wood Chinese figure and a kylin

208 *Two ancient Chinese swords with cloisonné handles*

209 Chinese god in carved jade

210 *Finely carved Chinese junk with figures, etc.*

211 Seven curious Japanese masks

212 *Very fine carved wooden shrine with Buddah*
213 Ditto
214 Carved wooden god with 12 arms
215 *Very rare Chinese carved horn drinking cup*
216 Fine large bronze gilt buddah
217 Ditto on lotus stand
218 Fine old Sikh metal shield
219 Six ditto war quoits
220 *Fine marble carving of the Elephant God*
221 Ditto—Man on Elephant
222 *Beautifully executed solid silver Indian idol*
223 Burmese devil's head with horns
224 Two large Burmese tapestry hangings
225 Three Naga (Assam) spears, powder horn, etc.
226 Four Indian tulwers
227 Two engraved Persian swords
228 Ditto
229 Two matchlock rifles
230 *Very fine Egyptian mummy head, hand and foot in glass case*

Collection of Idols and Curios from the little known Schouten Islands, Pacific Ocean.

231 Large shield decorated in colours, from Island of Korido
232 Ditto
233 Ditto
234 Six spears with iron heads
235 Carved drum
236 Two ditto
237 Carved wooden idol, very curious
238 Ditto

239 Carved wooden idol, very curious
240 Ditto
241 Ditto
242 Ditto
243 Ditto
244 Ditto
245 Ditto
246 Two ditto (A.F.)
247 Ditto
248 One very fine small ditto, decorated with feathers
249 Two small ditto

Batak Curios from Lake Toba, Sumatra.

250 One wooden water carrier
251 Leather medicine pouch
252 Five bamboo fire boxes, with flints and tinder, the flint is struck on outside causing a spark
253 Carved box with writing on and armlet 134884 90 42/-
254 One fine carved wooden fetish (?)
255 Priest's bone charm, engraved with writing and figures 134889, 65/-
256 *Very ancient manuscript on bark leaves, written and illustrated both sides, enclosed in wooden covers; a very valuable record of ancient magic and medicine, with native priest's formulæ, believed to be the finest one in existence*
257 Carved wooden canoe prow, from Humboldt's Bay
258 Two carved wooden idols, male and female

Small Collection of Curios from New Guinea.

259 Curious painted mask with wool decoration, composed of human skull and clay
260 Carved and painted wood mask

261 Four mother-o'-pearl and bead fish hooks and 2 bone nose sticks

262 Curious small musical instrument, 2 combs with feather ornaments, shell necklace, wooden ear ornament and 2 message sticks with feathers

263 Breast ornament with boar's tusk and mother-o'-pearl and Job's tear ornaments

264 Twenty-one shell bracelets, 5 shell and teeth necklaces, bone nose stick, various shell rings and 2 slings with stones

265 Two small rhinoceros hide shields

266 Three long stone clubs

267 Lizard skin drum, fishing net with shell sinkers, grass bag, bamboo pipe, musical instrument, etc.

268 Fine stone chisel in wooden handle

269 Antique marble plate

Curios, various.

270 Old Persian box, inlaid with ivory

271 Twenty old ornaments and lacquer tray

272 Old Chinese figure and large pot

273 Blue and white plate and 2 biscuit figures

274 Three antique daggers

275 Twelve old ornaments, various

276 Twelve ditto

277 Two Wedgwood cheese dishes

278 Three old Chinese carved pewter pots and 6 cups

279 Old Persian rug

280 Ditto

281 Old bronze and gold inlay model of a pagoda

282 Pair of Canton enamel vases

283 Coloured sporting picture, framed

284 Large engraving, after Farquharson

285 Coloured engraving, after G. Morland, another and 2 water colours

286 Number of Chinese paintings on rice paper, 2 water colours by COTMAN and others in folio

287 Old lac tray and ditto chessboard

288 Tortoiseshell tray and old mahogany tea caddy

289 Inlaid desk and water-colour drawing

290 Old flint-lock pistol, a rifle, dagger in sheath, 5 pairs of military spurs, Japanese cabinet and lac japanned box

291 Old Persian manuscript in gold letters and a portion of Bible on silk in Russian language

291a Six old ivory and other netsukes

292 Nine old silver medals and coins

293 Fine bronze medal, "Sir Christopher Wren," large silver Jubilee medal, large pewter medal, "Marriage of Queen Victoria" and 3 Napoleonic medals

294 Collection of old coins and medals, including 3 cartwheel twopennies

295 Collection of old Chinese coins, with names of dynasty and dates

296 Book containing 10 original Japanese coloured pictures on silk, old advertisements, etc.

297 Antique mirror and ditto clock

298 Old blue and white dish and 2 ditto plates

299 Pair of Staffordshire figures and Bristol vase and mug

299a Two marked Spode cups, 2 ditto Old Crown Derby and 2 Marcolin saucers

Old Arabic and Persian Manuscripts.

300 Old Arabic manuscript, finely written on hand-made silk paper, dated 900 Hijra, with silver brocade binding

301 Old Arabic manuscript, dated 985 Hijra, with fine gold brocade binding

300a Carved Kashmir table

301a Three carved bamboo spill vases

302 Persian manuscript, complete works of HAFIZ, minutely written on silk paper, with silver brocade binding

303 Old Arabic manuscript, written by various penmen, apparently Fifteenth Century, with silver brocade binding

304 Old Persian manuscript, "The Exhortations and Love Poems of Sadi," the great poet of Persia, with old Indian shawl binding

304a Two interesting old books, In omnes Terentii Fabulas Compendiosa Commentaria, 1550, and Explicationis Orthodoxæ, etc., 1571

305 Old Staffordshire group of Virgin and Child on Donkey with Joseph, old pomade pot with decorated lid, 2 quaint models of cats and small figure of a man

306 Three decorated bowls and 2 small groups (1 A.F.) in box

Coloured China Figures, &c., from Japan.

307 Set of 3 fine quality small Kutani figures—Netsukes

308 Pair of Kutani figures—Actors

309 Two pairs of small Kutani figures

310 Pair of Kutani figures—Street singers

311 Set of 3 wise monkeys—See, Hear and Speak no Evil

312 Pair of fine Kutani figures—Geisha Girls, 12 inches

313 Two rare Kutani groups—God of Wealth and Fisherman

314 Important Kutani figure—Goddess

315 Ditto figure—Japanese Geisha Girl holding fan

316 Another fine quality female figure holding bowl

317 Another Kutani figure

318 Another ditto figure

319 Two coloured Japanese Kutani figures

320 Three pairs of miniature Satsuma vases, 4 inches

321 Pair of fine dark blue and gold Satsuma jars and covers

322 Pair of handsome Satsuma vases

323 Four carved figures
324 Six ditto
325 Six ditto
326 Four ditto
327 Six ditto
328 Six carved swords
329 Six ditto
330 Six ditto
331 Inlaid carving—Elephant and Monkey
332 Six carvings—Deer-bone Landscapes
333 Twelve ditto—Elephants on bridge
334 Nine ditto—Birds on stand
335 Two ditto—Eight Birds on boughs
336 Six ditto—Birds and young
337 Two ditto—Birds on bridge
338 Nine ditto—Birds on stand
339 Carved sword
340 Four ditto
341 Four ditto
342 Wood carving—Animals on bridge
343 Ditto
344 Two carved wood figures
345 Ditto
346 Silk kakemono "The Sixteen Disciples," by KINSUI
347 Two ditto, by BUNCHO
348 Kakemono, by KUNISADA
349 Imari plate
350 Ditto
351 Ditto
352 Three ditto
353 Two English plaques
354 Two Imari plates
355 Chanoyu bowl
356 Ditto
357 Ditto
358 Ditto
359 Ditto

360 Bishu jar
361 Koseto jar
362 Pair of Bishu sake bottles
363 Ditto
364 Hanging bronze vase
365 Hanging iron lantern
366 Imari bowl
367 Jar
368 Two ditto
369 Pair of bronze vases
370 Two Imari koros

Oriental China, etc.

371 Pair of fine quality 5-inch Nankin jars with carved wooden tops and stands
372 Similar pair, covers and stands, smaller
373 Pair of 5-inch coloured jars with panels of birds and flowers
374 Pair of coloured jars painted in flowers and birds
375 Pair of dark blue and gold ginger jars and covers
376 Very fine quality old Japanese Kaga koro with figure on lid, and panels of birds, etc.
377 Album of exceptionally fine Chinese paintings—Figure subjects
378 Another album of paintings—Flowers, birds, etc.
379 Three pairs of small 4-sided Japanese Satsuma vases
380 Ditto, different shapes
381 Handsome pair of Satsuma vases
382 A 5-inch Nankin blue and white jar with carved wooden top and stand and pair of panel poudre bleu vases
383 Pair of fine quality Canton porcelain bowls, painted on both sides
384 Pair of coloured flower vases, decorated with panels of flowers

END OF SALE.

THE NEXT SALE OF CURIOS will take place on TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 30th, 1915.